



2007 Department of Health Mosquito Prevention and Control Program Criteria for Judging Awards

The following criteria will be used in judging applications:

Weight	Category	Criteria
50	Mosquito control plan	Is it comprehensive? Will it be effective? Does it include community partners in source reduction etc.? Does it include all essential elements? Is the geographic area covered adequate for the population?
10	Cooperative efforts	Does the application include more than one jurisdiction? Will equipment be shared?
10	Population-based risk assessment	Number of humans covered within the spray area? (estimate) Number of human West Nile cases in 2006 within the proposed spray area? Number of human deaths from West Nile in 2006 within the proposed spray area? (see www.state.sd.us/doh/WestNile/06WNVcounty.pdf for number of WNV cases and deaths by county in 2006)
10	Budget	Is it realistic? Are costs for equipment and chemicals equal to or less than the “preferred pricing” off the state contract? Are all items eligible? Are the matching requirements met?
10	Long-term sustainability	What is the outlook for program sustainability? Has the city, county, tribal gov’t, or any co-op thereof, taken any action in the form of an agreement, ordinance, or resolution?
10	Application Content	Is it complete?